

SIXTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1897.



LARGEST IN THE CITY

Purely Business!

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "notices" free any more than a merchant can toss over his counter free gitts of dry goods or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business concern. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

DO THEY?

Why do so many people trade at our house? Why do they come from far away as well as near at home? Why do they return regularly, season after season? Is it sentiment or accident? No, neither. It is because they Save Money by trading with us.

The dominant feature of our house is that no garment goes out but that we are convinced will prove satisfactory to the

We only buy the nicest goods the market affords. They are selected by experienced buyers to suit the wants of our patrons and sold at the very lowest prices good goods can be sold for. Read Bohne of Carlisle married at Flemingsthe prices for our

HOLIDAY ******OFFERINGS:

A line of Men's All wool Cheviot Suits at \$7 60.

A line of Men's All-wool Black and

Blue Ribbed Cheviot Suits at 89 40. A line of heavyweight Clay Frock and

A line of All-wool Kersey Overcoats at \$7 75.

A line of Men's All-wool Imported Ker-

Back Buits at \$8 90.

sey Overcoats at \$12 50.

In this line of Suits we carry the most complete and comprehensive assortment in the state.

FOR THE WWW LITTLE ONES

from 4 to 15 years old we have recently closed out about 400 D. B. Sack and Reefer Suits that we will sell at \$2 75.

They are strictly All-wool Imported Cheviots, and come in beautiful brown shades, some checked, some plaids and some in black and blue colors. For

CHRISTMAS

such as fine Gloves, Hats, Neckwear and fine Silk Umbrellas, we are headquarters. See our line of Silk Vests and Smoking

ECHINGER & CO

LEADERS IN FINE CLOTHING AND SHOES.

All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.

II If you have an item of news please call up THE LEDGER, Telephone 33, and send it in.

Use Sweet Blossom Corn.

Gold Pens at McCarthey's.

Buy Headlight Oil from C. Wetzel. We have some pretty Perfumery Ato-

mizers and Salts Bottles. Ask to see them. Chenoweth's Drugstore. If you want your share of the fall and

early winter trade, an advertisement in THE LEDGER will be your best solicitor Try it and see.

You must see Murphy, the Jeweler's stock of Gold Watches to appreciate the low prices he is offering them. The largest stock and lowest prices in the city.

Just received, a barge of the celebrated Raymond Coal, which will be sold at cash price less than people expect to

pay on present market. JOSEPH H. DODSON.

One thing that attracts many people to the Bee Hive. Cincinnati to buy goods is the bargains that Cincinnati merchants advertise in the Cincinnati papers. Maybe Mayaville merchants might keep some of this trade in Maysville if they would advertise bargains in the Maysville papers. Suppose you try THE LEDGER.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

That We May Expect For the New Preenty-four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

While streamer-FAIR; Blus-BAIN OF SHOW: With Block ABOVE—'twill WARMED

If Black's BENEATH-COLDER'tWI

Unless Black's shown-no chang we'llsee

The above forecasts are made for period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mr. William Hunter of Murphysville was in Maysville yesterday.

Mrs. Thomas M. Green of Danville is th guest of Mrs. J. F. Barbour.

Dr. William Bowman and daughter Miss Stella of Tollesboro were in the city yesterday.

Miss Lucy Gaines, after a visit to relatives in the county, left yesterday for her home in

Miss Lida Poliitt of Third street has returned from a pleasant visit to the family of Rev. J. D. Redd at Sardis.

Mrs. K Larkin is very ill at her home at Washington.

Mrs. Elizabeth Purnell of Dalesburg gets a widow's pension of \$12 a month. James Story of Fairview and Miss Sallie

Mrs Margaret E Cassidy of Carlisle has been granted a pension of \$8 a

Handkerchief Days at Hoeflich's. Thursday and Friday. Largest Stock. Lowest Prices.

Umbrella Day Saturday

For a good Loaf of Rye Bread Traxel's can't be beat.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Downing of the county, a son.

Call and see the Holiday Goods at Henry W. Ray's Postoffice Drugstore.

Anchor Patent Flour for \$5 a barrel M. C. RUSSELL & SON.

It is a pleasure to show our Christmas Goods now open-at Chenoweth's.

Mr. Andrew Mearns of Tollesboro has pened a broom factory in this city.

Don't fail to place your "ad" in THE LEDGER if you want the most for your

Mr. W. S. Judy and Miss Leila Current, ooth of Millersburg, were married at the

Gibson House, Cincinnati. Buy a Watch from McCarthey and be

atisfied, both in price and quality. Have your Viniagrettes filled with frarant Salts at Chenoweth's Drugstore.

Special bargains in trimmed and unrimmed Millinery at Mrs. L. V. Davis's.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, oure constipation forever. 10c 25c. If C. C. C. fall, druggists refund money.

In town. Who? Why, Santa Claus. Where at? Why, at Jos. T. Brown's Grocery 119 East Third street with Toys for all of the children at prices to suit the people.

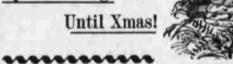
Diamonds that for "fine" cuttings, 'finish'' and "quality" have never been equaled; Diamonds that will astonish you on account of the low prices. Murphy, the Jeweler, is offering them.

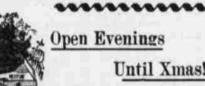
A variety of Manicure Files, Buffers, Scissors, &c., at Chenoweth's Drugstore

The merchants of Flemingsburg know they are alive. For the 23d they have chartered the train on the C., F. and A. Railway, and everybody can ride into Flemingsburg free to make their Christmas purchases from the live Flemingsburg merchants. Maysville merchants prefer excursions that carry Maysville money to Cincinnati.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents. Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c, \$1. All druggists.

***** Open Evenings





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YE MERRY CHRISTMAS G

DOLLS! A beauty show—Dressed Dolls and Dolls to DOLLS! dress. All sizes and styles. No description can do them justice. Golden-haired Dolls, 15 inches tall, 6c. each; 20 inches tall, 10c. each; 27 inches tall, 19c. each. Kid body, bisque head Dolls, with shoes and stockings, 19c. and up. Dolls representing all Nations are here, from Japan and Africa and South Sea Islands, besides Clown Dolls in four different sizes and many, many others. Come and bring the little ones to see our Famous Doll Family.

Artistic Pottery and Richly Decorated China.

Large Vases, new shapes, 25c. to \$1 50.
Bisque Figures, 15c. and up.
Big line Dresden Clocks.
Sterling Silver Pocket Knives, 25c.
Silver Jewel Boxes and Pin Trays, &c., 10c.,
15c., 25c.
Bohemian Glass Vaporice.

Handkerchiefs and Mufflers.

200 dozen fancy-border and embroidered Handkerchiefs, 5c. Handkerchiefs, 5c.
Children's Handkerchiefs at 1c.
Special—Two lines at 10c. and 12½c. each.
See window display: great values.
Our line of Slik and Linen Initial Handkerchiefs is great at 15c., 25c., 56c.
Cashmere Mufflers, 19c., 25c., 35c., 50c.
Slik Mufflers, 49c., 65c., 75c. and up.

Gloves and Hosiery.

Special Kid Gloves, worth \$1, at 75c. pair; in black and all colors.
Our guaranteed Gloves, worth \$1 50, at \$1 Kayser Patent Finger Tipped Gloves, 25c.,

Children's Cashmere Mittens, Tc. Ladies' Cashmere Mittens, 9c. We are showing a great line of Hosiery at 8½, 10c, 12½, 25c.; all seamiess.

Frames and Mirrors.

200 dozen new Picture Frames just received. 0 dozen regular 25c. Frames, special, 12 ½c. These come in all colors.

New style Frame, worth 35c., our price, 19c.
Large line at 25, 35, 50c.
See our Frog Mirror, large size, cheap at \$1 25; our price, 85c.

Canes and Umbrellas.

Gents' Canes, sliver handles, 39c, 200 Umbrellas, regular 75c, kind, 49c, The best Umbrella ever shown at 98c. Fine novelty handles in natural wood, pearl and steriling silver, at \$1.39, \$1.50; up to fluest goods.

Towels and Table Linens.

8-4 fringed Table Cloths, \$1 25 kind, 79c, 10-4 fringed Table Cloths, \$1 75 kind, 69c, 3-4 large size Napkins, 98c, dozen. 30-48 gnotted fringe Tow-1s, special, 25c, 500 Renaissance Dolites, special, 5c. White Table Linens, great values, 25, 35, 9c, and up. 49c, and up.
50 dozen 5 8 Napkins and Doilles, 49c, dozen

Pocket Books, Purses, &c.

Jackets and Capes.

We still have a complete line of Jackets and Capes, and until December 25th we will allow a special discount of 25 per cent., or one fourth off. on all garments from \$10 upwards.

SPECIAL—10 full Fur Capes, in wool, seal astrachan and electric scal, former price \$12 50 to \$25; choice of any, \$7 95.

We invite you to inspect our grand stock. All suitable for useful and artistic Christmas presents. You will positively save time and money by doing your Christmas shopping at

KINGS OF LOW PRICES.

PROPRIETORS BEE HIVE

ONE CENT.

Pure Home-made Candies at Traxel's. Christmas night at Opera-house, 25 and 35 cents.

Go before the rush to Schatzmann's for the neatest selection in Holiday gifts.

Mercer county officials offer \$8,000 a mile for the state's interest in turnpike

See last notice to delinquent city tax-

payers. Pay today and save your property from sale. The Mason County Gun Club will have

live pigeon shoot at the Fairgrounds Christmas week. Harry Taylor's broken shoulder is

mending nicely and he hopes to be out to enjoy Christmas. Langdon's Mixed Candy 5c. a pound;

Langdon's Cream Mixture 74c. a pound; all other Candies just as cheap. Mr. Henry Thompson, who some weeks ago was stricken with paralysis at his

home near Mayslick, is slowly improv-

During the pressure of Holiday adverising THE LEDGER cannot undertake to print all the long articles that its good

riends furnish. Hon. A. P. Gooding of Mayslick is at tending the semi-annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of State College, Lexington, this week.

Don't spend all your money, but save 25 or 35 cents for the most delightful entertainment of the year. You'll be

sorry if you miss it. Those who have taken space in THE LEDGER's all the week Christmas page are kindly requested to hand in their copy at

the earliest moment.

Tramps set fire to a C. and O. boxcar yesterday in South Portsmouth and it was totally destroyed. Other cars and the depot were saved with much diffi-

Conductor Julius Herrick is now running on the Maysville and Lexington Division of the L. and N. in place of Conductor W. H. Kirby, who is visiting his father in Memphis.

The Regent desires a full meeting of

Valentine Peers Chapter on Saturday afternoon, December 18th, at 3 o'clock. Business of interest and importance. Charter to be presented. Please bring all American monthlies with you. In the United States Court at Covington

the Second National Bank of Ravenna, Until Xmas! O., filed suit against A. D. Howell, Geo Evans and other residents of Estill and Lee counties for the foreclosure of a mortgage of \$8,700 on 1,600 acres of land. Charles Warner and Bob Green, both colored, were brought up from Dover last

night by Constable Dawson. They are

charged with stealing a lot of harness. Squire Miller will hear their cases today. Warner broke into the Pen a few years ago, and evidently wants to get back. Did you ever hear an American Mock ingbird? Sitting high in a tree singing. it fairly rains down its music, so that if it would freeze the branches would glisten with jewels. Now, you wait for

the best chance to hear something fine.

Save your money for Xmas night. 25 and 35 cents, at Opera-house. John Jones, alias What-you-Please, as he wouldn't tell the officers, was arrested last night about 8:30 o'clock for a brutal assault and oattery on Mrs. William Dooley. Letters found on him were addressed to Ben Leonard, Cincinnati. The fellow is evidently a peach. 'Squire Howe committed him for a hearing today.

Among the many novelties of Holiday decoration none are more striking than the figure in H. W. Rasp's show window. It is a grizzled Santa Claus, made up wholly from articles pertaining to Mr. Rasp's trade, and their ingenious arrangement is the work of Mr. Robert W. Rasp. Stop and hear the old fellow toot his tin horn.

When THE LEDGER got its information the count had not been completed. There were 158 Cincinnati excursion tickets sold here yesterday; and a four-horse wagon couldn't have hauled the bundles that came up in the evening, to say nothing of those that will follow by mail, steamboat, railway and express. Let the good work

Council of Redmen.



All Indians are requested to assemble council this sleep at the seventh run. J. HARRY RICHARDSON, Sachem. C. Pelham, C. of R.

The Sun Life Pays Promptly. Sun Life Insurance Company: We de sire to thank you and your Superintend ent, Mr. Madison, for prompt payment of claim on the life of our brother, Robert L. Chinn. Such kind business methods always deserve praise. The amount, \$500, was paid in full. Very truly.

The Unanimous **Opinion**

of those who saw our window display last week was that it was the richest and most beautiful thing of the kind ever seen in the city. This week we expect to show you an improvement even on that, and kindly invite you to come and see for yourself. It may chance to contain some article that will make some one happy, should you wish to give it as a Christmas present. Our window is but an introduction---a vestibule, as it were---to our store, which is filled with fresh, new goods, all that is beautiful and tasteful in Jewelry, Diamonds, Watches, Silverware, Cut Glass, Bric-a-brac; in fact, an almost endless variety of useful and beautiful things suitable for gifts to young and old. Come in and let us show you that this is no fairy tale.

BALLENGER, Jeweler.

PLEASE TACKLE THIS.

George Strawder to Wrestle.

Among the Hottentots (Hottentoten) the kangaroos (Beutelratte) are found in great numbers. Many of them wander over the country, free and unmolested; others less fortunate are taken by hunters and put :nto cages (Kotter) provided with covers (Lattengitter) to keep out the rain. These cages are called in Dutch Lattengitterwetterkotter, and the kangaroo, after his imprisonment, takes the name of Lattengitterwetterkotterbeutelratte. One day an assassin (Attentater) was arrested who had killed a Hottentot woman, Hottentotenmutter, the mother of two stupid and stuttering children in Strattertrottel. This woman, in the Dutch language, is entitled Hottentotenstrottertrottelmutter, and the assassin takes the name Hottentotenstrottermutterattentater. The murderer was confined in a kangaroo's cage-Beutelrattenlattengitterwetterkotter-whence a few days later he escaped; but fortunately he was recaptured by a Hottentot, who presented himself at the Mayor's office with beaming face.

"I have captured the Beutelratte,"

"Which one?" replied the Mayor, "w

have several." "The Attentaterlattengitterwetterkotterbeutelratte."

"Which Attentater are you talking "About the Hottentotenstrottertrottel-

mutterattentater.' "Then why don't you say at once Hottentotenstrottertrottelmutterattent a terlattengitterwetterkotterbeutelratte?"

The Hottentot fled in dismay,

WILLIAM DAVIS WILL SELL CANNEL AND KANAWHA COAL AT THE

Docks East of Limestone Bridge

Ole Olson, like some others who have been billed for an appearance here, "flew de coop." The Opera-house Managers Here's a Hottentot Horror For Colonel yesterday received word that he would not be here Friday evening.

> Miss Rebecca Ball, daughter of Mr. Joseph Ball of Bluelick Springs, and who has relatives in this county, and Mr. J. C. Freeman of Pocahontas, Va., were married yesterday at Carlisle.

Mr. Arthur Henderson of Dayton, O., and Miss Catherine R. Belle Henderson of Mason county were married yesterday afternoon at the County Clerk's office by His Honor Judge M. C. Hutchins.

Harry Choate, the well known billiard champion and allround clever gentleman, is spoken of for Superintendent of the big City Hall at Cincinnati. THE LEDGER hopes Harry will land the whole plum

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most won-Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most won-derful medical discovery of the age, pleas-ant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

The Amateur Debating Club has elected the following officers:

President-M. B. Easton. Vice-President-M. C. Daily. Secretary-B. B. Pollitt. Treasurer-R. L. Simons Chaplain-James Dawson Sergeant-at-Arms-John Deatley. STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO. | 88, Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the

will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's FRANK J. CHENEY. Catarrh Cure. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

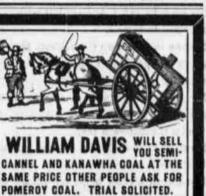
senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney &

Co., doing business in the City of Toledo,

county and state aforesaid, and that said firm

A. W. GLEASON. BEAL Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free;

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75 cents. Hall's Family Pills are the best.



------MISSES' and CHILDREN'S

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HIGH SHOES.

J. HENRY PECOR.

HAND-KERCHIEFS

Friday's Cash Sale.

Handkerchiefs are such a popular Christmas gift, we know a tempting offering of them now will be most welcome. We have secured a sample line of 100 dozen, entirely up to our standard, but no maker sets much value on samples after they have served their purpose. He cannot sell them in the usual way because there are too few of any one sort. This line represents a great variety, every individual preference seems to have been considered for hemstitching, embroidery and lace. They'll go by sixes and twelves—so hurry. 25c. Handkerchiefs for 12c. are not an every-day chance. "Things seen are mightier than things heard." So convince yourself of the rightness of our statement.

D. HUNT & SON. RACHEL CHINN AND SISTERS.